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WHEELING, W. VA., FEBRUARY 22, 1887.

Politics, Patriotism and Business.
When the Republican party was at the helm of the ship of State, Republicans urged the other side to permit a navy to be built and coast defenses to be constructed. The Democrats said no, they couldn't think of putting so much money into Republican hands to be stolen—what was infinitely worse—used for the campaign necessities of the Republican party.

When Mr. Chandler was Secretary of the Navy they went so far as to name him. They would never consent to vote money to a new navy while "Bill" Chandler was at the head of it, for they were not going to give Chandler a chance to steal another million. Talk of this wild and unparliamentary character is bearing fruit on another tree.

Among Republicans in Congress there seems to be but one disposition, and that to put the defenses of the country in a business-like condition, not stopping to think whether the money is to be disbursed through one set of parasites or another. In Congress the obstructionists are Democrats. Whether they obstruct because they are unwilling to allow the money to be used by an Administration which they regard as unorthodox, only themselves know, but they do obstruct.

Outside of Congress there are Republicans who have taken up the old Democratic argument. One of them is astonished to see that the Republican Senate is willing "to put \$100,000 into the lap of the Cleveland Administration"—a sum, he says, sufficient to enable Cleveland to carry New York against George Washington, if the Father of his Country were to rise from the dead in 1888. This Republican is particularly shocked to see that Secretary Whitney would get \$37,000,000 of the plunder to handle. This is the "Bill" Chandler argument again, just as good now as it was then, and no better.

If the country is to go unprotected—its thousands of millions of property, the lives of its people, its dignity as a Nation—until the expenditure can be made by both parties at once, we may as well go out of the business of governing ourselves, and ask some first rate power to set up a protectorate over us.

We need a navy and we need coast defenses. It is of minor importance that the money passes through the hands of this party or that. It cannot be said that one party is made up entirely of honest men and the other exclusively of rogues.

Patriotism ought to rise above the narrow party spirit sometimes, and the time is opportune when a common interest appeals to all citizens alike. If we understand the situation this is such a time.

An Effect of the Inter-State Commerce Act.
No feature of the Inter-State Commerce bill has created greater interest in certain quarters than that which is aimed at railroad passes. From the walls of anguish that are going up it is just possible that some persons did not understand that the bill had anything to do with passes.

If anything can make the bill unpopular with persons who think themselves entitled to passes, it will be the cordial cooperation of the railroad companies with the Commissioners to enforce this provision of the act.

There are people who have come to regard their railroad passes as an inalienable franchise, and by the habitual use of these conveniences they have become filled with a superstitious horror of paying railroad fare. Even now these persons can't bring themselves to believe that their day of grace is passed. Each one consoles himself with the thought that he or his class will not be included when the ax falls.

There is an impression that the enforcement of the act will make life a burden in the newspaper offices, where the railroad pass is thought to be the main stay. The railroad pass that is issued to a newspaper rests purely on a legitimate business basis.

The railroad company gives so much in passes for so much advertising, or so much in passes and so much in money. It is a trade arrangement, just as though the newspapers were to take an advertisement from a merchant for so much cash and so much "in trade." We do not know how the bill will affect this transaction, if at all, but we are glad the bill has been passed and hope to see it have a fair trial.

An Attempt to Hire Longfellow.
Yonah's Denial.

The poet Longfellow received few letters in his long life which gave him more amusement than one from an impressionable lover, requesting him to write an ardent valentine for him to send to his beloved. "Imagine yourself young again," wrote the swain, "and deeply in love with a young lady, who returns your passion and who has promised to be your wife. Then write me such a poem as you would write for yourself." The letter concluded thus: "P. S.—Send him."

It Had Not Forgotten Its Cunning.
El Paso Inter-Republic.

There is a certain citizen of this place who bought a \$4 racehorse; we won't give his name. He got up a \$2 race the other day. His horse kept ahead all the way, and would have won the 2 mile race, if it got to the wire some lacerated peddler stopped his rig in front of a residence near by and yelled "Milk!" with all the wind his lungs could hold. The racehorse stopped at the El Paso citizen lost the \$2. The animal used to work to a milk wagon.

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GENERAL GOFF'S SPEECH

On the Resolutions Announcing the Death of John A. Logan.

Congressional Record.

Mr. Goff said:
Mr. Speaker: We honor ourselves in honoring the memory of John A. Logan. Nothing that we can say or do to-day can add to nor detract from the renown of the distinguished dead, for it is no less than fame proclaims it, and it could be no greater than it is. Those who knew him well will cherish his recollections of him through life, and the nation in whose interest he lived, for whose supremacy he contended, will, in chiseled marble and enduring bronze, cause him to speak with lips that will move not, yet talk to those who loved him in life, who sincerely mourn his death, and to those who are numbered of those who, coming with the generations yet unborn, will honor his patriotism, his honesty, his sterling worth, and will worship at the shrine of human liberty, at which he knelt with all the earnestness of his grand manhood.

Mr. Speaker, General Logan was the idol of the citizen soldiery of the war for the Union, and he was worthy of their admiration, for he was as grand as his cause and as true as steel. It is not disparagement to say that among the many who won the one, the magnificent image of the Christ-God, in the great cathedral of Montezuma, dominates the immensity of the building, asallas ruled supreme in the Parthenon, and Zeus in his Olympian temple, so does the name of Logan alone transcendental stand among that throng of heroes, dominating as with a single impulse the hearts of those who, neglecting all pursuits, abandoning all professions, leaving home, wife, and children, and all that made life dear, followed him to the banner of the Union "into the very jaws of death" and tasted of the bitter dregs of the cup of error and of pain in order that Republican institutions might not perish from the face of the earth.

General Logan lived in an eventful period and died in the fullness of his glory. He was an active participant in the memorable struggles that will render the nineteenth century famous in battle and in history. He was no larger than the steel, but he was always to the front with the hammer in his hands. He was determined in his purposes, sincere in his convictions, and grand in his achievements. Contending for Republican government, he lived to see the Constitution of his country cleansed of impurity and firmly established on the eternal principles of truth and justice. He was a devotee at the shrine of human liberty, and he lived to see all men free. He believed in the education of the people, and he lived to see his country blessed with the system of free universal education that a propitious Providence has ever permitted the children of men to enjoy. With all the earnestness of his impulsive nature did he love the starry banner of our independence, the emblem of our nation's power, and he lived to see it fly, at last, at that is great in human action, all that is grand in human thought.

It is not laudation for us to say that in all these stirring scenes and wonderful changes he played a leader's part and that he stamped his strong individuality on these pages, so grandly written in the book of our history. It is but common justice for us to concede it.

He is dead; he has gone. It seems but yesterday that he was here, that he came to us with the cordial greeting he always received, and to which he was always entitled, and now the places that have known him so long and so well will see him no longer again forever, and yet he will live here for all time. He will be with us, Mr. Speaker, while we tarry, and he will stay after we have gone. He is one of those illustrious lives that death can not destroy.

Loving husband, kind father, honored statesman, grand soldier, true friend, honest man, may your sleep in the quiet city of the dead be the rest of those who, sustained and soothed by an unfaltering trust, approach in their grave. Live who will the dream of his life. About him, and lies down to pleasant dreams, and may the boundless mercy of the lowly Nazarene, who gave us the precepts of your true and Christian life, and who, as the Christ King, washed all your sins away, save you to the eternal glories of the heavenly kingdom, that such a death as yours proclaim must be.

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Odes on spring be blow'd.—N. Y. Journal.

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LITTLETON, W. VA., Feb. 18, 1887.—The following is furnished for publication:
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The holders of the above named bonds are hereby notified that bonds of the following numbers, namely: 3, 38, 32, 69, 94, 113, 129, 143, 152, 167, 210 have been drawn by lot, in accordance with the provisions of the ordinance authorizing the same, and are payable at the Exchange Bank of Wheeling, March 1, 1887, at which time they will cease to bear interest.

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